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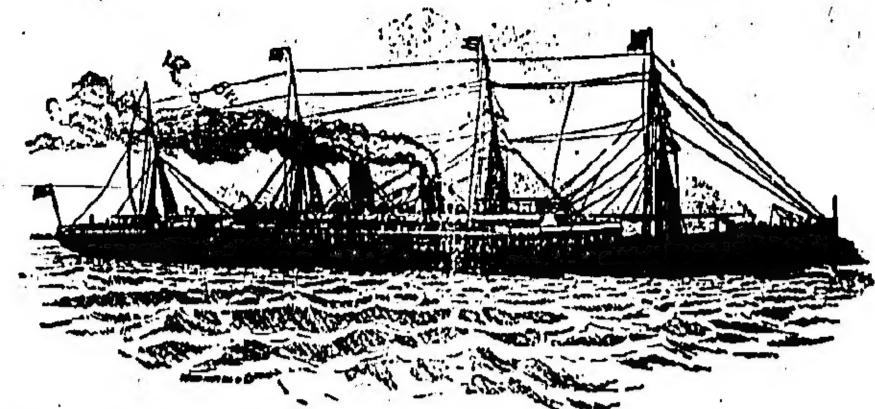
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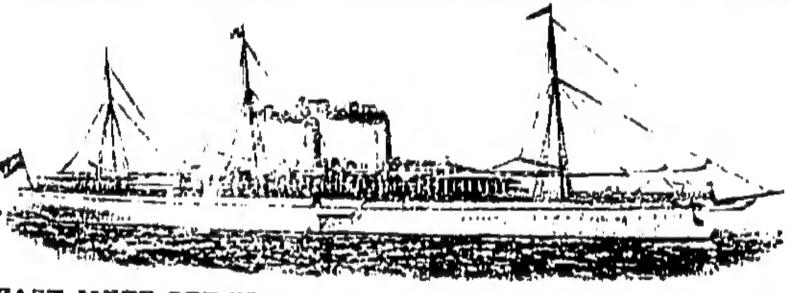
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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Monday, 6th, to Thursday, 9th June, both days inclusive. SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 31st May, 1904.

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NIOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Offices of the Company in ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th of June, 1904, at 11 A.M., when the subjoined resolution which was passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 31st of May, 1904, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution. RESOLUTION.

That the Capital of the Company be increased to Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars by the creation of Thirty Thousand New Shares of Ten Dollars each.

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SIAMESE DEMONS AND SORCERERS.

(Continued.)

M. C. Hardouin continues his article in the Revue Indo-Chinoise as follows (translated) :-These sorcerers "keep shop" for consultation exactly like the somnambulists and charlatans of our countries of Europe; they take care not to acknowledge their powerlessness and still less to refuse the client's mite. The majority among them occupy themselves especially in preparing philtres for provoking love; this is a specialty which seems to be one of the most lucrative. How should it be otherwise in a country where polygamy flourishes and where the situation of favourite is envied especially on account of the pecuniary advantages derived [672 | therefrom? The women of the harem who aspire to this situation, and who despair of attaining it by their charms alone, those who once parvenus, see themselves forsaken and wish to regain their authority, address themselves to some master in occult sciences whose philtres will help to work the miracle. The books of magic which treat of this subject give amongst other matters the recipe for preparing the "ya fet" philtre which is supposed to be of great efficacy. The first thing to do is to procure certain parts or personal secretions of the individual loved, for instance, the hairs of the eyes, etc. which is taken to the sorcerer. The them with some young shoots of certain plants to them. employed in native medicine. This paste is inserted in a "Luk Savat," the fruit of a tree of the same name, of the size of a hazel-nut the interior of which has been previously scooped out. In this form it is sent to the person who desires to be loved, with the advice to swallow it on a Monday, a favourable day for these sort of mysteries, but only when, after having put to the first child met these words " Pen reu jang " (is it done?) she has received thereto this answer "Pen" (it is done). The "Luk Savat," ejected, must be taken again, washed care-

> again throws it in a morth and pounds it with some herbs and leaves of certain other plants. Then this mixture is put into the fire and reduced to ashes. This second operation in dd, the celestial powers must be brought interplay without whose aid the philtre will not be capable of producing its full effect. With this object the ashes, placed on a covered platter must be taken one Monday to the neighbouring pagoda, and there, before the image of Buddha, the sorcerer adjures the "Theyadas," the whole cohort of the blessedto favour the designs of the person who has recourse to that intercession, accompanying these invocations with a multitude of signs above the platter containing the ashes. When this religious part is accomplished, nothing remains but to conceal the medicinal odour and the offensive savour of the mixture by the addition of aromatic substances, and to ad- often confirm them in so complete a fashion? minister it to the person in view, in sprinkling the meats served to him, or, better, by introducing it in the quids of betel which are.

The philtres are not the only artifices em-

presented to him.

fully, and carried back to the 'sorcerer, who

ployed to inspire love; recourse is likewise had to other practices which belong to another order of ideas, and which recall the practices of the Middle Ages. The gallant who wishes to make a young girl share his ardour, or especially a woman who desires to hold under the empire of her charms a volatile husband, must first inquire as to the date of birth of the person on whom the magic operation is to produce its effect and inform the sorcerer. The latter, the anniversay day having come, goes to the vicinity of the dwelling of the person designated and waits until she goes out in order to follow her, noting carefully her figure, her gait, and especially her footprints. When he has examined everything at leisure he places himself before one of these prints, and pronounces in Pali certain magic words which end with these Siamese words-"Chong ma," and which mean "Come." It is a sort of summons to the person who has left these footsteps to yield to the wishes of the woner; then he takes a pinch"of the trodden earth rolls it in a ball and puts'lit in a paper on which is written the age and name of the person in question. The following days are employed in making with wax a statuette from 20 to 30 centimetres high representing the traits and general physiognomy of that esine person as she appeared on her an-WIRE, Wirsary day; the place of the principal organ, heart, is filled by the pellet of earth wrapped in a charmed paper. That operation endeds the wax image, covered with a banana leaf, is sent to him or her who has ordered it and who must go and bury it in the cemetery of the pagoda nearest the dwelling of the person in view. The spot chosen must be at a proper distance from the places where cremations are usually carried out, so that the statuette shall not be melted by the heat-such an accident might bring lamentable consequences, the least of

the person whom the image is supposed to represent. But if all the formalities prescribed by the rites be scrupulously and rigorously ful- bales. filled, the person whose love it is desired to compel cannot fail soon to show that she has been touched by the magic operationaccording to the local expression, "Thuk sane." Besides thes, sorcerers devoting themselves to diabolic practices, we find established at the corners of the crossways in towns and villages, however little important, the "Mo du," a sort of diviners who deliver oracles concerning retribution. The fashion of consulting them

has entered into the customs of the country to such an extent that nothing of serious importance takes place in a family without their advice having been previously taken. Is there a question of a matrimonial union projected? The parents on each side forthwith hasten to the "Mo du" in vogue, and the affair is not completely decided unless his prognostications are satisfactory. Similarly, in the arrangements for a journey of some duration to be undertaken, mandarins and common people alike never set out before the day indicated as favour-

happy or fatal, of illnesses, to expound dreams, i firm and ask for higher prices for the drug repronounce good fortune, tell the winning numbers of a lottery, are likewise in their province. They have for each special object certain consecrated formulae bequenthed by their predecessors; they recite these scated, with hands joined, whilst burning tapers brought by the clients, but they do not devote themselves to any incantation or ceremony having a diabolic character.

It is, apparently, because the art of divination thus practised excludes all superstitious idea that one finds in nearly all the pagodas bonzes readily applying themselves thereto without failing on that account in the Buddhist rules. The cells of these pious personages are often invaded by a crowd of applicants of all ages and both sexes coming to beg the famous num. ber which is to come out in the drawing of the lottery and make them gain three-fold their stake. Confidence in the infallibility of these bonzes is sometimes so great that the gamblers, trusting to gain fortune, do not hesitate to stake on the indicated number the whole gain of a year. These oracles are delivered gratuitously; the canonical rules do not allow the disciples of Puddha to receive money from hand to hand, but this restriction is amply compensated for by the numerous gifts which the applicants bring and which consist of objects that nose or of the body, urine, the secretion of the can be easily exchanged afterwards for money. That is what they do not fail to do as a rule, for latter throws them in a mortar and pounds | they can leave the pagoda when it seems good

Sompambulism such as is practised in Europe is not yet known in Siam. There exists, however, something approaching it: certain old women give out oracles defining illnesses and indicating the proper remedies to combat them, giving the description of thieves, exactly like the clairvoyant somnambulists of our towns; there is at the same time this difference that the former say they are agents of some "Phi" which possesses them and speaks by their mouth. The natives designate them by the name of "Phi rong" or "Phi mot thao." Their dwelling has for a sign a small wooden shrine of particular form. For the modesh sum of one salung (money of the country worth about o'fr. 75)-the Siamese witch enters into diabolic possession and in that state answers all the questions of the clients with the greatest precision. They are consulted especially in regard to stolen articles in order to ascertain the authors of the crime, on the subject of a distant journey to be undertaken to learn whether the traveller will return safe and sound, or as to a serious illness which has attacked a relative and the means of curing it; people interrogate them also as to-what parents or friends are dying who have gone to a distant place, whether any accident has happened to them, the date of their return, etc.

. . The people appear to have faith in their oracles. Why, indeed, should these innocent people not believe them when events (To be continued.)

COMMERCIAL.

YARN MARKET. In their report, dated 3rd instant, Messrs. Cawasjee, Pallanjee & Co. write :- Our yarn market during the whole of the fortnight under review ruled steady, and a good business is reported in almost all counts and descriptions at an advance of from fifty cents to two dollars per bale on last mail's quotations, owing to small receipts and encouraging news from Shanghai and the Northern markets. Looking at the meagre stock in first hands it is anticipated that a brisk demand will spring up, provided the interior and the consuming districts respond to the ruling prices here. A good business is reported in No. 201, and 165, at current rates and in some instances at an advance of from fifty cents to a dollar per bale. Nos. 12s. and 10s. are in much request, and are still inquired for. No business is reported in Nos. 8s. and 6s. Sales during the past fortnight comprise of about 2,300 bales of No. 105.; 1,600 bales of No. 123.; 1,000 bales of No. 165.; and 1,000 bales of No. 201.; in all about 5,900 bales. Arrivals per steamers Vindobona, Kumsang, Gregory Apear and Ballaarat of about 1,250 bales. Shipments to Shanghai and the Northern Ports amount to about 6,000 bales. The unsold stock is estimated at about

12,500 bales. Local Productions :- Sales are reported of about 1,000 bales of No. 105.; at \$114 to \$115. and about 100 bales at \$116 per bale.

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night under review our yarn market ruled firm, and moderate arrivals from Bombay coupled with a brisk demand from the Interior and Northen Ports and Shanghai, prices advanced from fifty cents to two dollars per bale all round. Sales are computed of about 6,000 bales. Arrivals about 1,200 bales. The unsold stock is estimated at about 12,000 bales.

Yarn. Local.-Sales are reported of about 800 bales of No. 10s at \$115 to \$116; and about 50 bales of No. 128, at \$116. Yarn, Japanese.—About 350 bales changed

hands at \$130 to \$130 for 205, Opium, Malwa.-Market ruled very firm and the rise in prices in Bombay had the effect of strengthening market here. Sales are reported of old about 50 chests at \$1,150 to \$1,200 and oldest about 40 chests at \$1,240 to \$1,280 per

able by the diviners. To predict the issue, picul, in all about 90 chests. Holders are very ceived per Ballaaral. Stock is estimated at

about 1,07; chests. Opium, Bengal.—During the fortnight prices began to decline, and sales are reported of Old about 250 chests at \$1,310 to \$1,260 per chest. Benares New about 110 chests at \$1,290 to, \$1,190. Old about 175 chests at \$1,290 to \$1,220 per chest. Stock is estimated of about 2,600 chests.

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Vermilion	86
Camphor (Chinese)	110
Auvarcandy	to to 14
Apricots	28
Kismiss	10 to 12
. Cloves	30 to 55
Olibanum	9 to 20
Borax	17
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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1901.

GOVERNMENT REFORM.

Although the question of Government reform in this Colony is a subject that has often been advocated by ourselves and by our confreres, the several ques-The HOURS of BUSINESS of the tions of vital importance to the commercial success of Hongkong and the com- THE Colonial Treasurer basissued the account by the authorities render it imperative that some representative form of administration should be brought once again to the fore: Space will not permit of our enumerating, of 1903. in detail, the many questions forming the basis of the grievances, of which the public complain, and the reforms urged for the consideration of the Council. Mention can, however, be made of a few of the. more pressing, r/z,, the establishment of a fixity of exchange, the construction of the Kowloon Canton railway, the organisation

of a properly trained and thoroughly equipped fire brigade, and the obligatory registration of Chinese domestic servants. It was formerly advanced by the Government that we have not yet reached that stage when we can be entrusted with a voice in the administration of our local municipality - an argument manifestly absurd when consideration is taken of the fact that, almost at our own doors, there exist other younger Eurobean colones, whose principal towns have possessed a system of local self-government for more than a decade. We refer to the cities of Hanoi and Haiphong. / Britishers often, with good reason, pride ! themselves on their capabilities for Colonial administration; yet, in the examples furnish ed by Indo China, we have striking proof of the superiority of the measures adopted by our neighbours whose Colonial organisation we have sometimes belittled. In Hanoi and Haiphong, municipal councils, elected by the European ratepayers, who in neither of these cities total more than a thousand, have turned squalid, overcrowded agglomorations of native habitations into clean, well aired, properly drained and adequately lighted streets. Close to, but distinct from, the Asiatic quarters of these towns European cities, with broad boulevards, magnificent public buildings and gardens, and possessing an excellent electric lighting system and tram lines have been created. France has been in actual possession of the towns since 1884 only; yet either of them would compare afavourably with places of similar numerical population in the United Kingdom, so far as the J excellency of the roads, the drainage systems, the lighting, sanitary disposition of the

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

buildings and low death-rate are concerned.

Would it not be to the interests of Hong-

kong for the Secretary of State for the

Colonies to have an exhaustive report made

on the subject of Municipal Government as

adopted by the French in Tonkin, now that a

British Consul has been appointed in Hanor;

or do the bonds of red-tape with which our

and the individual interests to which it

so often bows, form obstacles which it is

impossible to surmount? Be that as it may,

our friends and neighbours have taught, and

are teaching, our authorities a lesson that is

worth more than a bushel of arguments;

though it is perhaps a case of quoting the

old saw regarding those that will not learn.

[45] Administration is so securely entrammeled

THE s.s. Ichbal lest for Shantung yesterday to embark coolies for South Africa.

CAPT. W. Armstrong, of the Hongkong Volun- against Tls. 2,419,582 last year, Tls. 1,811,456 teer Corps, has obtained leave of absence from the 5th inst., to the 14th October next, in order to permit of his going to South Africa with a batch of Chinese emigrants leaving shortly by £843,000 and last year about £794,000 show-[582 | the steamer Courtfield,

ELABORATE First Army Corps manœuvres have been held at Aldershot, in which forty thousand men took part. The King and the Duke of Connaught were present.

THREE fatal cases of plague are notified as having occurred during the past twenty-four hours. Since January 1st. 202 cases have been reported.

A TURTLE, weighing 313 lbs., was caught last Tuesday at Changchow, near Lantao. It was brought to Hongkong. Turtle soup and steak are on the menu at our serior hotel,

MR. H. H. J. Gompertz, having recovered from his recent indisposition, took his seat as usual at the Magistracy this morning, relieving Mr. . H Kemp, who presided in his own Court.

(lie Joughous (elegraph Till sprey of the New Territory and islands has, in spite of the broken and rugged nature of most of the country, been proceeding rapidly, and up to April last 40 737.93 acres har been surveyed.

> THE P. and O. mail steamer Egypt, upon I arriving at Plymouth reported that two days before reaching Suez one of the crew, suffering from religious mania, leapt overboard. The ship was stopped, and the man, who struggled desperately, was picked up and placed on board again within 12 minutes from the time of

of revenue and expenditure from the 1st January to the 31st March last. The to alrevenue derived during [that period was the legitimate claim of the community to \$1,399.64.27 as against \$1,152,152.93 for the same period of the preceding year, while the actual expenditure was \$1,469,821.15 as against \$1,277,310.30 for the corresponding quarter

> arade ground, on Monday next, the 6th inst. from 5 to 6.30 p.m.

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letyll,	"Hawatha"	. Mores.
Selection	. A Country Carl	Monckton
Danie."	Slavonic .	. Degrale,
Selection.	and The Messenger Boy	Ivan Caryal,
Vater	Amoureuse	Berger
	God save the King.	

THE Japan Mail of the 18th ult, repeats the story that the Cossacks who were driven from Anju raided the British mining settlement at 14th inst., stole everything they could lay since 1899 was sent to her own country by her hands on, and placed all the foreigners under | Consul. There were odeaths-one from spinal restraint, except the Japanese who managed to] escape." There is no official confirmation of from debility or malnutrition accompanying this, but the whole career of these Cossacks is, as the Mail says, "pure brigandage," utterly unworthy of a civilised Power.

to suggest that all single men over the age of block. twenty-five should be specially taxed. The man who remains single is never well off, for he has no one to take care of his money. There are many men so totally unfitted for married life that they resolve to live out a life of loneliness rather than add to the misery of the world by following the path that leads to the registry office. There is something rather noble in the state of bachelorhood.

THE Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial! and Nethersole Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donation to the funds of the Hospitals :--

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THE operation, which Major Bird had to per form on the Amir the day after he arrived in Kabul, was the opening out of an abscess which had formed in the palm of his hand. His Highness had been in great pain for a month, and had not enjoyed a complete night's rest during the whole of that period. The relief was immediate, and the Amir's sleeplessness at once vanished. The hand was greatly inflamed, and the wound in a very unhealthy state, owing to bad treatment, and a portion of bone was protruding from the third finger, showing how severe was the accident. Major Bird operated on this finger some days later.

A CHINESE clerk is searching for employment in Hongkong. He sent the following application to a well-known firm the other day ;---To The Honourable Director. Sir,-I am respectfully beg you to keep my application to meet that, the Chinese clerks will be wanted in your office: now, at first I with esteem to apply for post. Shall I may be chosen, sir, I feel comfortent to perform the duties required

I have been employed as an asst in . . for a period of 28 years, and resigned for my own accodd. Hoping this will meet with your kind consideration a favourable reply, I have the honour to be, Sir, Your obedient servant.

THE Statistical Department of the Customs has issued the Customs Gazette for the first quarter of the present year. The comparative statement of the total revenue collected is as under, in Haikuan taels :--Chinese Ports 5,812,204 6,346,257

Kowloon and Lappa 178,787

Lunchow, Mengize, Szemao, and Tengyueh ... Total..... 6,075,721 6,594,043

The total collection in the same quarter of 1902 was Hk. Tls. 5,372,633. The total collection at Shanghai this year was Hk. Tls. 2,048,488, in 1902, and Tls. 1,262,358 in 1901. Converting the total revenue into sterling at the current rates, the collection this year equals about lug a gain this year of nearly & so,000.

REPORT ON THE GOVERNMENT LUNATIC ASYLUMS.

INCREASE OF INSANITY IN HONGKONG.

In his report for 1903, the Medical Officer in charge of the Government Lunatic Asylums states that with such a steady increase of insanity in the Colony and limited accommodation the Asylums (especially the European block) have been greatly overcrowded during the year;

There is only accommodation for 4 European male lunatics, and yet as many as from 8 to 10 have to be housed somehow, with the result that the quieter lunatics sleep in the day rooms and the acute cases, e.g., mania and alcoholics, occupy the four rooms. From many points of view this is a most unsatisfactory state of things. European - Forty-four were admitted against 25 in 1902, an increase of 19. Of these, 25 were suffering from alcoholism or delirium tremens. One was a woman who unfortunately died from syncope after a few days' illness. She was only in the Asylum 6 hours, and her case was hopeless from the first. Two males died. One from acute alcoholism and the other, who was brought in drunk, was found to have a slight fracture of the base of the skull which proved fatal. The American female who was admitted in 1895 and the Roumanian Jewess in 1903 are still in the Asylum. Both are suffering from chronic mania and are quite incurable. Of the 44 Europeans admitted, 3 were under ob- "The amount of organic matter present being servation, one suffering from dementia recovered sufficiently to be sent home, 27 were discharged cured, 2 died from alcoholism, and one from fractured shull, Iraving to remaining on January 1st, 1904; viz 2 females and 8

missions, all males. (fife above, one was under observation, 6 were discharged cured, or ! in care of friends, leaving 3 remaining at the | having in course of time, been thrown out of PROGRAMMI of music to be performed by the | end of the year. Three Indians were suffering | band of the 9 id Burma Infantry on the new from alcoholism. One of the coloured class, down some of the bacterial and vegetable matsuffering from mania, unsuccessfully attempted snicide by swallowing his bed sheet.

Asiatic (Chinese and Japanese) -The admissions this year were tot as against 87 in 1902, showing and increase of 14. Of the 16 patients under observation (3 males; and 8 females), 7 were transferred to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment and 9 were discharged. Forty-one cases were sent to Canton, 35 handed over to their friends, leaving 9 remaining in the Asylum at the end of the year. Eunsan. "They reached that place on the One Japanese female who was in the Asylum meningits, one from erysipelas, and the other l acute mania or dementia.

Buildings.—The present buildings are in a good state of repair. Minor improvements were carried out during the year, including DACONET of the Referee is heartless enough, inc eased ventilation to all rooms in the Asiatic

THE INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL.

Dr. W. V. M. Koch, the Medical Officer in charge, reports that during 1903, 37 cases of small-pox were admitted and 7 terminated

both male Europeans. One was discharged cured after 12 days' treatment; the other who valley to valley preaching a Holy War. Two was received in a state of collapse, died shortly afterwards.

Plague.—There were 301 cases of plague admitted for treatment, of whom 248 were males and 53 females, the former being 82.4 per cent., the latter 17.6 per cent., and the proportion of males to females being about 6 to 1. Of the admissions 139 males and 37 females died, and there were discharged cured 109 males and 16 females. The recoveries among the males amounted to 44 per cent., and among the temales to 30 per cent., roughly, three males recovering as compared with two females. Of the deaths 56 per cent., were among the men, and 70 per cent., among the women. The Europeans numbered 27, and there were two deaths giving a mortality of 7.4 per cent. Three Portuguese were admitted, of whom two died, more robust physical development, has the should be used, and in order to be efficacious will be manned by Attock River boatmen. it should be given in large doses-12 grains or A large convoy reached here safely to-day, more every two hours. As an aid to treatment, and to counteract the depression, the free exhibition of stimulants such as strychnine, digitalis and alcohol is called for. would seem, moreover, that the better results obtained this year-the higher percentage of and more positive diagnosis of plague which has been rendered possible by Dr. Bell's adaptation of Ross' method of examination of the

Various .- Under this head 21 cases were admitted.

The Hospital Buildings .- In November and December the Hospital was painted and colourwashed throughout, and the equipment thoroughly overhauled. The place is now in good order. Towards the end of May, when the epidemic of plague was at its height, two wards in the new Plague Branch of the Tung Wah Hospital were used to relieve the pressure on the Kennedy Town Hospital two weeks prior to its opening by His Excellency Governor Blake on June 6th.

matabed was ignited by speries. The Ward- coolies - Rusgess Times

mis ers assisted by European Police Constable' Hill, a patient convilescing from cholera, Lupt the hose playing until the arrival of the Fire Brigade. The patients were safely removed to the-main-building .-- Amahs Chee Luk and Leung Kum were awarded three dollars each

for meritorious conduct. The Hospital hulk Hygeia is used for the treatment of cases of small-pox. It is in very good condition at present.

REPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT ANALYST.

WEST RIVER WATER.

Mr Frank Browne, PH. CH., F.C.S., states that, during the year 1903, analyses, more difficult and extensive than those of any previous year, were required to be performed. The toxicological cases investigated comprised nine cases of suspected human pisoning. The poison found in four of these was opium. The results of the analyses of samples taken each month from the l'okfulum and Taytam Reservoirs, from the Kowloon service, and Cheung Sha Wan supply, indicate that these supplies continue to maintain their excellent qualities. The analytical figures given by a sample of unfiltered water from the West River will prove of interest. The following report was made:higher than that in a first-class drinking water, this sample is of medium purity. The amounts of impurity is very small. With but little purification this water could be converted into an excellent supply. The sediment is composed of alumina, iron oxide, silica, magnesia, vegetindians and Coloured.—There were to ad- able debris, and bacterial forms. The water has to a certain extent undergone self-purification-alumina, iron oxide, and magnesia solution, and in their precipitation have carried ter of the water, thus forming a sediment of a mixed character."

THE TIBET MISSION.

Gyantse 'Tibet), 11th May.

To-day picked sharp-shooters, located on the roofs of houses in the fortified camp, were able to a very large extent to subdue the fire from the fort. In spite of the fact that the enemy are reported to have received large reinforcements, early this morning, a column went out and burnt a large village from whence fire was directed on the camp during the attack on the 5th, and where the enemy took refuge.

Gyantse (Tibet), 12th May.

The Tibetans in the fort seem to have received reinforcements, and have mounted some more jingals of a superior class. This afternoon they kept up a persistent bombardment, and wounded one of the Sikhs. Last night bands of Tibetans issued from the fort and prowled round the camp, though at a safe distance. Colonel Brander is taking every possible precaution, and the camp has been rearranged, new walls and a traverse being

Gyantse (Tibet), 13th May.

The latest reports state that the country in Cholera.-Only two cases were admitted, front of us is in a ferment, the Lamas, like the Mullahs on the Pathan frontier, going from thousand Khamba warriors are said to be marching to join the army in Gyantse fort. Meanwhile the bombardment of the camp continues. The enemy have found the range of every building in the camp, but we are all well under cover. The troops were working the greater portion of last night, altering the defences. The mule lines have been removed, as they were under direct fire from the fort. The garrison make daily sorties on the neighbouring villages suspected of harbouring and assisting the enemy. Curiously enough the line behind still remains perfectly open, and the telegraph line has been pushed up to within 28 miles of Gyantse.

Simla, 13th May, It is officially announced that the following units will be mobilised at once, and held in equalling 66.6 per cent. Of 216 Chinese, 156 readiness for immediate despatch to Aikkim on died making a percentage of 72.2, and of other, receipt of orders from Army Headquarters :races 55 cases were admitted of whom 16, de Two sections of No. 7 Mountain Battery, giving a percentage of 28 2. Thus it will futogh; one section of No. 30, Mountain Batnoted that the better fed European, brought up tery, Abbottabad; Headquarters and 3 comand living amid more healthy surroundings, panies of the 1st Battalion, Royal Fusiliers, and who is presumably more stalwait and of a Lebong; headquarters and four companies of the 40th Pathans, Jhansi; Section No. 22, greater chance of recovery than a patient of British, and section D., No. 57, Native, Field any of the other races. In treatment the great. Hospitals, Calcutta. Four twelve feet Berthon est success has been obtained by the free use boats with superstructure for use as' rafts, are of carbonic acid. The very purest preparation | being sent up to General Macdonald. They

though when approaching the Mission camp a furious fusilade was directed upon it from the fort. The mounted infantry went out to-day to a village, whence shots were first fired on postal riders, and were fired on again. The village was partly destroyed as a punishment, recoveries-are to be attributed to the earlier The Tibetans continue to receive reinforcements from the surrounding valleys. A thousand men from Lhassa and two big guns are reported to be coming in.

Simla, 17th May. The following press communique is issued :-The Tibetans have mounted at Gyanse Jong more jingals and a 4-pounder gun, but their fire has not at present proved very effective. They have occupied a monastery two miles north-west of the British post. The dak sowars were fired on, but drove off the enemy and go through. The British reinforcements left Chumbi on the 15th, and should arrive at Gyantse on the 24th instant. The Teesta road was closed on the 14th of May, and is being repaired The Rungpo-Rorotang road has been repaired. The Gantok-Rungportoad is not On the night of May oth fire broke out in a yet fit for carts, but 750 maupds a day are wood yard adjoining the Hospital and No. 3 being passed over it by pack animals and

ELEGRAM

"HONGKONG TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

THE HUNGHUTSES ACTI

DESTROY RAILWAY FUEL

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

YOKOHAMA, 4th June. 10.40 a.m.

The Hunghutses have raided th railway and destroyed hig stocks locomotive fuel, in consequence which the Russians are experiencing serious inconvenience in running th

ADMIRAL BEZBRAZOFF

WILL COMMAND FIRST SQUADRON.

A Harbin newspaper states that Admiral Skrydloff was accompanied by Admiral Bezbrazoff, who will take over the command of the first squadron at Vladivostok.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE

80,000 TROOPS MOVING TO ATTACK.

The Nichi has received a telegram from the front stating that the Russian advance is rapidly develop-

Eighty thousand Muscovite troops are now moving against the Japanese army at Fenghwangcheng.

MINISTER KILKOFF AT HARBIN.

Kilkoff, the Russian Minister of communications, has arrived at Har-

JAPANESE LOSSES AT KINCHOW.

A TERRIBLE SACRIFICE.

The Japanese casualties at the battle of Kinchow were 749 dead and 3,455 wounded.

VICTORIA GAOL HOSPITAL.

In his report on the Gaol Hospital for 1903, Dr. W. V. M. Koch states that the question of overcrowding is still urgent, and is a matter which should be dealt with decisively at an early date. Each year shows a steady increase in the number of committals to gaol, not merely of short sentence prisoners, but also of long sentence prisoners. The Belilios Reformatory has been used as a gaol, and between ninety and a hundred prisoners are kept there. But the Reformatory is certainly not satisfactory as an ideal prison. In spite of this, and of other drastic measures, it will be noticed that the daily average of prisoners in gaol is 653. It is a matter for congratulation that the slight outbreak of plague ceased so quickly, but there is not the least doubt that, should by any chance a serious epidemic break out, the condition of affairs will be distinctly a cause for alarm.

The admissions to Hospital numbered 568, a percentage of 7.80 on the committals. Of these admissions, 274 were really malingering; they were kept under observation in the hospital and discharged within 24 hours. Deducting these the admissions for sickness amounted. to 294, a percentage of a little over 4. Incidentally, it is interesting to note the large proportion of malingerers. Malarial fever and dysentery were most prevalent diseases.

There were 16 deaths from disease and 2 executions—the former making a percentage of '22 on the total admissions to gaol, and 2.8 on the number in hospital.

SHIPPING AND MAILS.

MAILS DUE. Indian (Laisage) 6th inst. Australian (Australian) 6th inst. American (America Maru) 7th inst. German (Seydlita) 8th inst. German (Sachsen) 8th inst. American (Mongolia) 84th inst. Australian (Chingtu) 11th inst. Canadian (Empress of India) 15th inst.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Mongolia left Nagasaki for Manila this morning, and is due there on 8th inst.

The P. & A.s.s. Nicomedia sailed from Portland on 29th ult., via Japan Ports, and may be expected here on 30th inst.

The Imperial German Mail s.s. Sackien left Shanghai via Foochow on Saturday, at 3 a.m. and may be expected here on 8th inst., at 4 a.m. The Imperial German Mail sa. Segdilla catty

ing the German Mails with dates from Barlin of the 10th ult., left Singaporelon Friday, at 100 a.m., and may be expected here on 7th mat. as-

relegrams.

(Reuter's.)

The Anglo-French Agreement. LONDON, 2nd June.

Mr. Balfour, speaking in the House on ne Anglo-French Agreement, incidentally Auscat. He said it was quite true that last | gram :ear a very difficult question arose between France and Great Britain and the question and now been referred to the Hague Tribunal. LATER.

Racing.

St. Amant is scratched for the Grand Prix. Conscription in Great Britain. Mr. Arnold-Forster states that the Government does not intend to make any proposal

The War.

in favour of conscription.

Reuter's correspondent at the Headquarters at Moukden wires, it is understood that General Kuropatkin is ready to take the offensive on an important scale.

> HONGKONG'S MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

The Hon. Dr. Atkin on has submitted his report on the working of the medical department for the year 1903, and from it we extract the following items:-

POLICE. The admissions to the hospital show a decrease of 179, the number being 75) as compared with 938 in 1901. The strength of the force was 921 as against 881 in 1912. The d minution is mainly due to the fact that dengue was deaths as compared with two in 1902, and. twenty were invalided as against twelve in the previous year. The number admitted suffering from malarial fever was 107 as against 176 in 1902, and 407 in 1901, there is no doubt that disease is much less prevalent amongst the Police than in former years.

This was a much healthier year for the troops as shewn by the decrease in the number of admissions to hospital and by the fewer number of deaths. Especially marked is the diminution in the number of cases of malarial fever admitted to hospital a result undoubtedly due to the extensive training of nul ahs and other anti-malarial measures which have been carried on in the neighbourhood of the barracks by the military authorities. The average rate of sickness was less in both European and Indian troops. The rate of mortality was lower amongst the European but higher amongst the Indians than in the previous year.

GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL. There is no doubt that the question of constructing an entirely new hospital, arranged in accordance with the best modern practice, will have to be seriously considered in the near future. The present buildings are old and cost a considerable sum of money yearly in repairs.

Amongst our requirements are:-(1.) Increased office and store accommodation. (2.) A hospital laundry. (3) Increased accommodation for private patients. (4.) An operating theatre detached from the hospital proper but connected with it by a covered passage. In my reports as superintendent of the hospital for the years 1892 and 1893 and later, I have referred to this, and I would again suggest the reserving of a site for a new hospital.

LUNATIC ASYLUMS.

As Dr. Laing's report shows there were 35 more admissions than in the previous year, causing considerable overcrowding. Should this continue the question of enlarging the present Asylum, or building an entirely new one, will have to be seriously considered. MATERNITY HOSPITAL

In all there were 31 European's and 37 Asiatics, admitted as against 29 Europeans, one Indian, and 37 Chinese in 1902.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

There is no doubt that this Hospital will prove a boon to the yearly increasing number of Government servants and residents who have to reside in the overcrowded lower part of the town.

CANTON NOTES.

(From Our Oven Corresp ndent.)

PLAGUE.

Canton, 3rd June. Plague has been spreading very rapidly during the past week. The coffin shops have sold in severity and none fatal. The disease was heavy death rate.

CONSUL-GENERAL AND MRS. MCWADE. Consul-General and Mrs. McWade left for Hongkong last night. Mrs. McWade leaves on Saturday for the United States.

ROBBERY. A large pawnshop near Tai Leung was looted a few days ago. The band of robbers numbered over two hundred, and they succeeded in carrying off over thirty thousand dollars' worth of goods besides a good deal of money. One of the coolies in the pawnshop was killed defending the place.

A NORWEGIAN sailor named Brude, who holds a mate's certificate, intends to travel from Norway to St. Louis, for the exhibition in a curious of the birth of the child. boat of his own designing. It is made of iron, and egg-shaped, being entirely without an aperture, except that there is a small turret rising from it, with four windows, to enable the sidered a more serious ailment than in temcraft to be steered. The vessel is being made at the Aslesund Mechanical Works. It will have a sort of centre-board keel, capable of being raised and lowered. It will be rigged out for three other Norsemen to go with him. He expects the journey will take two and a half months,

THE WAR.

THE BATTLES OF KINCHOW AND NANSHAN.

JAPANESE LOSSES.

Mr. M. Noma, Consul for Japan, kindly eferred to the use of the French flag in communicates the following official tele-

> Tokio, 4th June 9.25 a.m.

"Our total casualties in the battle of Kin chow and Nanshan on the 26th of May were 4,204; whereof 749 dead, including 33 officers, and 3,455 wounded, including 100 officers. There were no casualties among Generals."

PORT ARTHUR.

The following telegram is printed in the

Cablenerus: London, May 31 .-- It is the belief in court and diplomatic circles in Europe that the fall of Port Arthur, which is thought to be a matter of a few weeks, will terminate the war, as it will give Japan a base upon the railroad from which to operate against Kuropatkin and ensure a tedious and exhausting struggle.

It is recognized officially that Russia's situationat Port Arthur is desperate, as the fall of that stronghold would be a staggering blow to her prestige, both at home and abroad, and would encourage the revolutionary societies with which the army is permeated, and also the nibilistic organizations to renewed adivity to throw off the Romanoff yoke.

The Russian government is fully alive to the seriousness of the situation. The British foreign office is in receipt of advices from the ambassador at Berlin stating that the Russian government has made overtures looking to not so prevalent as in 1902. There were five German support in securing the passage of the Black Sea fleet through the Dardanelles. Rerlin has also been sounded as to its attitude during the negotiations at the conclusion of the

> It is thought that Russia contemplates embroiling the other powers in the war.

GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL.

In his report for 1903 the Superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital commenting on the condition of the buildings states that the buildings are all in a fair state of repair. The roofs leaked badly in the rainy season but this important matter has been taken in hand by the Public Works Department and every prospect exists of soon having a thoroughly watertight roof. A new and modern operating theatre as this is much required and if built would give two extra private wards which are also needed as the few there are full most of the year.

The total number of admissions was 2,794 as against 3,108 in 1902. The decrease is partly due to fewer cases of dengue and to the fact that, owing to repairs, C. Block has been closed for the last two months thus depriving us of 28 heds. The total number of outpatients was 11,911 as against 11,815 in 1902. The rate of mortality for the year was 5.08 per cent, as against 4.5 in 1902. The average daily number of sick was 99.09 as against 111.38 in

Women and Children - The number admitted was 295 as agains: 357 in 1902, and 281 in 1901. The death-rate was 10.5 per cent. NATIONALITY.

Patients of the following nationalities were under t.e.tment:-Europeans.-802 were admitted as against 956 in 1902. Indians .-748 were admitted as compared with 834. Asiatics (Chinese and Japanese) .- 1,244 were admitted as against 1,315 in 1902, and 1,098 in 1901. There were 6 Officers of the Garrison under treatment as against 4 in 1902. As we take in most of the cases this speaks well for the health of the Troops as far as Officers are concerned.

The following diseases caused the greatest

number of deaths:	-	
Diseases of Respiratory System	30	cases
Diseases of Digestive System	17	11
Typhoid Fever	б	11
Dysentery	18	31
Injuries	27	19

Dengue Fever.-123 cases of this uninterest ing disease were admitted as against 422 in 1902. The epidemic started in August and practically over in October. The blood of all patients was examined in many ways but without any result nor were cultivation experiments more successful. Several of the nursing staff suffered and the hospital was at times hard pushed in the nursing line. The cases were much the same as in other epidemic, varying most of the coffins they had on hand, and are rarely associated with malaria (two cases only) now employing extra coolies in the shops, and the parasites found by. Dr. Graham of Reports from the country round Canton tell of a | Beyrout and which he claims as the producer of the disease must have been either vacuoles or the ringformed non-pigmented malaria. The epidemic moreover is very unlike a disease

conveyed by mosquitoes. Malarial Fever.-346 cases have been under treatment as against 349 in 1902, and 787 in-1901. There were only two deaths due directly

to the disease. "The influence of nervous' shock, as seen in the association of injuries with malaria, is interesting; and needless to say all debilitating causes easily bring out an attack in a patient previously subject to the disease. The Maternity Hospital cases also exemplify this for most of the patients admitted have previously had malaria and 4.41 per cent. had an attack shortly

Typhoid Fever -- 28 cases were under treatment with 6 deaths as against 34 with 8 in 1902. Typhoid in the tropics is usually conperate climates and our records bear this out. Taking the cases for the last two years the death-rate has been 22.57 per cent and the relapse rate 11 28 per cent, and the average with a mast and lateen sail. Brude is looking duration of the initial fever 24 85 days. Two Douglas Steamships have also improved and cases occurred in Chinese, both fatal. cases were imported. In connection with this

Plague.—78 cases were admitted with 5 deaths. The bulk of the cases were, of course transferred to the Infectious Disease Hospital. As soon as the spidemic started we had a stock mixture of carbolic acid (20 minims for a dose) made up, and all cases were put on this as soon as they came in—if the blood showed no malaria and the symptoms pointed to plague-so that no time was lost in starting the treatment. In view of the favourable report issued on this treatment by Dr. Thomson, I would like to point out that, though I suggested this treatment to you, the real gredit for introducing this drug in such large doses belongs to Dr. A. Wiglesworth, of Liverpool.

Phthisis.-60 cases were under treat rent with 15 deaths. Of these, 10 were Europeans, 24 Indians, 17 Chinese, 4 Philipinos, and 5 at Tls. 145. Japanese. This disease is very prevalent here due no doubt to a variety of causes which would come under the heading of low vitality and bad hygienic conditions. Both Indians and Chinese suffer more severely from malaria than do Europeans, and one is inclined to suggest this latter ailment as a predisposing cause. It is noticeable that February and April are the worst months, and that the number of cases: occurring in the winter are double the number of those occurring in the summer.

Febricula.-96 cases come under this heading. One is naturally loth to place patients under this heading, but it has to be used for a fair number after all methods of diagnosis have failed to identify the cause of the disease. No doubt a few are malarial, in which, owing to the previous use of quinine, no parasites have been found in the blood and one or two may be cases of phthisis in an early stage.

Dysentery. - 50 cases with 11 deaths as against 74 in 1.02. The word dysentery is now practi. cally considered as a sympton of a disease due to many causes, but not much has yet been done towards elucidating the special factor in each case. With the increase of microscopical work now done here I hope we may be able, in due course, to add a few facts to those already accumulated regarding this serious ailment.

Of the cases treated 20 were amongst Europeans, Indians, 3 Chinese, and 3 Japanese.

Paraptes.—The more important of these were (a) guinea worm—two cases. This dis ease is unknown in China and both the cases were in Indians.

Poisons.—Of the 12 cases, 7 were due to datura alba and five to opium. None of the former were fatal, but two of the latter suc-

Hepatic Abscess.—Five cases -one European, three Indian, and one Chinese. They were all operated upon, and of the number four died. Three were cases of multiple abscesses a hopeless condition, and the fourth was in a patient the subject of malaria.

Tetanus.-Two cases occurred both as the result of wounds, the incubation period in one case being a month and the other a fortnight They were both treated with carbolic acid, 20 minims every four hours, morphea and chloroform when necessary. One recovered from the tetanus, and the other died on the 8th day. Injuries.—Bullet wounds — 8 cases were under treatment, none faial.

Dynamite Explosion .- 5 cases, one fatal and all the others badly maimed for life.

Fractures .- 56 cases of fracture were treated during the year. Dislocations.—Five cases were under treat-

Operations.—There were 192 operations per-

formed during the year.

Anasthetics.-Chloroform was administered 201 and ether 3 times without any fatal result. Radiography.—The new apparatus arrived early in the year, and has been a m st useful addition. Dr. Laing, already a good photographer, was able to begin work at once with it. Its use in connection with fractures, foreign bodies, &c., has been most valuable. No cases of malignant disease have as yet been treated with it. Thanks are due to Dr. Jordan for helping to put the somewhat complicated machinery

MATERNITY HOSPITAL. Sixty-eight cases were admitted as against 7 in 1902, and there were no fatal cases. Of those in hospital 9 were wives of Government servants, 45 private paying, and 14 free. One case of twins occurred, and of the births 27 were boy and 35 girls.

together, and for keeping the batteries charged.

COMMERCIAL.

WEEKLY SHARE REPORT.

In their report, of the 3rd inst, Messrs.

Benjamin, Kelly and Potts write:-Business has been moderately active since the issue of our last report and the principal feature of the week has been a spurt in China

Sugars and a slight reaction in Indo-Chinas. The China Light and Power Company, Limited, has advertised its third ordinary annual meeting of shareholders for the 9th June. The transfer books will be closed from

the 6th to 9th instant, both days inclusive. Banks.-Hongkong and Shanghai Banks have ruled steady but quiet at \$667% and are quoted in London at £66. Nationals are still in request at \$38.

Marine Insurances.—Unions have fallen to \$545, and are on offer at the rate. North Chinas have been done at Tls. 621. Cantons are weaker and can be procured at \$215.

Fire Insurance.—Both stocks continue firm

with buyers at quotations. Shipping.-Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboats are in demand at \$30. Indo-Chinas ruled very irregular and after sales at \$120, Sing and \$121 the market has weakened and shares are now obtainable at \$119. It is proposed to declare a dividend of 5% (10/- per share) at the forthcoming annual meeting of shareholders to be held in London on the 7th instant. China and Manilas have considerably hardened resulting in some business at \$26. sales at \$35\frac{1}{2} have taken place, closing with sellers at \$36. Star Ferries (old issue) have disease, thanks are due to Dr. Hunter for inquiries at \$32 and the new shares are asked

kindly doing the "Widal Reaction" test in all for at \$234, ex the dividend and bonus of altogether \$2.20 and \$1.10 for the old and new shares respectively. Shell Transports have changed hands at \$25/-.

Refineries.—China Sugars after sales at \$:45 have experienced a sharp rise and have been placed at advancing rates up to \$165. Luzons are offering at \$9 and Peraks remain firm at

· Mining.—Raubs are easier at \$7. The result of the crushing for the past four weeks is 565 ounces smelted gold from 2,300 tons of stone Chinese Engineerings keep steady at Tls. 7.

Docks, Wharves and Godowns.—Hongkong and Whampoa Docks have changed ownership at \$215\. Farnhams have considerably advanced and business at Tls. 151 to Tls. 156 has been transacted. Kowloon Wharfs are quiet at \$110. Hongkew Wharfs have been dealt in

Lands, Hotels and Building. - After sales at \$159, Hongkong Lands have declined and are to be had at \$1571. Shanghai Lands can be placed at Tls. 108. Kowloon Lands have improved to \$361 and are inquired for. West Points have further risen and are wanted at \$58. Hongkong Hotels remain dull at \$137 Humphreys' Estates have again been placed

Cotton Mills.—Ewos are quoted at Tls. 30. Saychees have dropped to Tis. 160. Cigar Companies.—No transaction has come

under our notice, and quotations are unaltered. Miscellaneous, - Green Island Cements alter sales at \$28, \$271 and \$271 have recovered to \$287 and are in request. A. S. Watsons are in the market at \$13\ ex the final dividend of 50 cents paid yesterday. Electrics are unchanged. China Providents have again been booked at \$93. Hongkong Ices have been disposed of at \$215 and are now wanted at \$220. Langkats

FRFIGHT.

are in demand at Tls. 3071.

Writing under to-day's date, Messrs. Lamke

and Rogge state: -The freight market has continued to rule very quiet during the period under review and chartering business has been restricted to a rather small compass. The demand for tonnage in all directions has slackened off considerably and rates of freight are following a downward tendency. It is, however, quite an open question, whether the now existing full will prove of long duration, as present times are undeniably abnormal ones which may be changed at any moment in the event of anything of importance happening in the political situation up North. On the other hand it may not-be amiss to draw attention to the fact that, apart from large colliers continually arriving from Cardiff and Australian ports-practically all of which will, however, have to find their way home again—the Eastern market is gradually being flooded by handy sized boats of Norwegian nationality, meant to stay out here, and this threatening over-supply of tonmage may, in course of time, prove a serious factor and detrimental to shipping in general. Settlements in total have been few and far between.- Saigon business has been conspicuous by its absence, and it may take some

ime longer before operations can be resumed as shipments of grain from the interior are still greatly hampered for reasons mentioned in our last. There is only one fixture on record at 15 cents per picul, and the same figure may be taken as closing quotation, but for small size only.—To load at Saigon for one port Philippines, a few small carriers are itported settled at gradually receding rates, latest figure being 34 cents per picul, but nothing further can be done at the moment, higher grain prices at Saigon being prohibitory to fresh chartering.

The Bangkok market has also remained very quiet and, though grain is amply supplied, it almost seems as if the amount of tonnage previously chartered, in addition to the fleet of regular boats, would prove sufficient to meet requirements, at least for some time to come. We quote: 29/35 cents per picul.

Newchwang rates have dropped considerably. The list of settlements contains one fixture at 44 cents per picul for Canton, but closing quotation cannot be said to be any better than 40 cents per picul for either Ganton or Coast

Coal business from Japan ports is absolutely stagnant and not a single Charter is reported The rate from Moji to this may be quoted \$1.30

From Hongay to this, a few settlements are on record at the reduced rate of \$1.50 per ton, Nothing else requires special mention.

Sail Freights: - No fresh Charters reported The Norw. Bark Odd, is under orders for Bangkok to load there for Europe.

Sail-Tonnage loading or to load .- For Callao. - Italian bark Moria L., arrived 9th April. For New York.-British 4-m. bark Eclipse arrived toth May.

British 4-m. back Kentmere, to arrive from New York. Disengaged: British bark Trongate 949

Departures :- None.

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GOVERNMENT BILLS.

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We have received from the Hongkong Observatory a new code of meteorological signals which comes into force at Hongkong on New Year's Day. They are the same as those at present in use at Shanghai, and will be hoisted on the mast beside the time-ball a Kowloon Point for the information of masters of vessels leaving the port. They do not neces sarily imply that bad weather is expected. The signals are as follows:-

A cone point upwards indicates a typhoon to the North of the Colony.

A cone point upwards and drum below indicates a typhoon to the North-East of the Colony.

A drum indicates a typhoon to the East of the Colony.

A cone point downwards and drum below indicates a typhoon to the South-East of the Colony.

A cone point downwards indicates a typhoon to the South of the Colony.

A cone point downwards and ball below indicates a typhoon to the South-West of the Colony.

A ball indicates a typhoon to the West of the Colony.

A cone point upwards and ball below indicates a typhoon to the North-West of the Colony.

Red Signals indicate that the centre is believed to be more than 300 miles awars from the Colony.

Black Signals indicate that the centre is believed to be less than 300 miles away from the Colony The above signals will, as heretofore, be

hoisted only when tuphonns exist in such positions or are moving in such directions that information regarding them is considered to be of importance to the Colony or to shipping leaving the harbour.

NIGHT SIGNALS.

Two lanterns hoisted verticall, indicate bad weather in the Colony and that the wind is expected to veer.

Two lanterns hoisted horizontally indicate bad weather in the Colony and that the wind is expected to back.

The signals are repeated on the flagstaff of the Godown Company at Kowloon, and also, by day only, at the Harbour Office and on M's Receiving Ship.

LOCAL STORM-WARNINGS.

The Colony itself is warned of approaching typhoons by means of the Typhoon Gun placed at the food of the mast, which is fired whenever a strong gale of wind is expected to blow here.

NOTICE BOARDS.

Notice boards are placed at :-

Joint Cable Companies' Office. Ferry Company's Pier, Ice House Street. Blake Pier. Post Office.

Harbour Office.

Ferry Company's Pier, Kowloon .

WEATHER-FORECASTS and STORM daily about II a.m., and also at other hours, Bream-Bin Yu...... day or night, whenever necessary. Informa-THE CHINA COAST METEOROL GICAL REGISTER is exhibited at the same places daily about noon. It contains observations made a Hongkong and at a number of stations in the

SPECIAL INQUIRIES.

Far East, together with Remarks, Weather.

ence and movements of typhoons based thereon.

forecusts, and information regarding the exit

whenever necessary, call at the Telegraph Company's Office in Connaught Road and send telegrams to the Observatory asking for special information without charge. Such inquiries may also be sent from the Police Station at Kowloon Point which is connected with the Observatory by telephone.

THE LAW OF STORMS,

Further information concerning the weather to be expected while signals are hoisted, and sailing directions, are given in "The Law of CTEAM LAUNCHES, New or Second Storms in the Eastern Seas."

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Rice Birds-Wo Fa Checkdozen Snipe—Sa Chui each Turkeys, Cock-Fo Kai Kung " Hen- , , Na Wild Ducks, Shanghai, Sul-appair Teal, Shanghai, Sui Ap Chal.....each Wild Ducks Canton-Sang Shing Sui Apea.....per pair

FISH,

Canton Fresh Water Fish-Hoi Sin Yu ,, Catfish - Chik Yu Codfish-Mun Yu...... Crabs-Hai, Cuttle Fish-Muk Yu Dab-Sa Mang Yu Dog Fish-Tit Tu Sa Eels, Congor-Hai Man Yu Fresh water-Tam Sui Yu Yellow-Wong Sin, Garoupa-Sek Pan Gudgeon-Pak Kup Yu Herrings-Tso Pak Halibut-Cheung Kwan Ya Labrus-Wong Fa Vu....... Loach—Wu Yu,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, Lobstors-Lung Hs Mackerel-Chi Yu Monk Fish-Mon Yu Mullet-Chai Yu Oysters-Sang Hon Parrotfish-Kai Kung Yu Perch-Tau Loo

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Apples, (California)-Kam San Ping Ku...... (Chefoo)-Tin Chun Ping Ко..... Small-Hoi Tong..... Custard-Fan Lai Chieach Bananas, fragrant, Canton-Sang Sheng

Heung Chiu " (brides), Macao-San Houng Chiu " Chestnuts, Chinese-Foong Lut.... " Carambola-Yeung Tou Cocoanuts-Yeh Tszeach Lemons, China-Ning Moong..... , Amer. - Kum San Ning Moong Lichees, Dried-Lai Chi Con

Fresh, Lai Chi Limes, (Saigon)-Sai Kung Ning Moongeach Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong...... Mango, Saigon-Sai Kung Moong

Mangosteens, San Chuk Tsz doz.

Oranges, (Canton)-Sang Sheng Tim . Chang Small-Tai Kut Mandarin-Tim Kut

Pears, (American)-Kam San Shut Li., " (Canten), Cooking-Sa Li " (Shanghai)—Sheung Hoi Li Peanuts,—Fa Sang Persimmons Large, -- Hung Chie Pine-apples, 1st quality-Sheung Poon

Ti Paw-lawach 2nd cocking-Chung-tang Paw-law Platams—Tai Chen Plums, Swatow-Hung Lai

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Walnuts, Hop for Green -- Sang Hop Tuo

VEGETABLES, &c. Artichokes, Shanghai, -Sheung Hoi Ah Beans, (French) Macao-Oh Moon Pin

Puniolo, Siam-Chan Lo Yau

Tau Beans, (French), Shanghai-Sheung Hoi Pin Tau Beans, Sprout-Ah Choi..... Beans Long-Tau Kok Beet Root-liung Choi Tau...... each

Brinjals, Green-Cheng Yuen Ker Brinjals, Red-Hung Ker Brassica-Pak Choi.... Bamboo Shoots-Chook Shun Cabbage, Chinese, cont.—Kai Choy...... Cabbage Root-Kai Lan Taueach Cabbage, (Shanghai)-Yeh Choi, n Cane Shoots, bunch-Kau Shun n

Cauliflower, Large size-Tai-Yeh Choi Faeach ... Cauliflower, Medium size-Cheung Yeh Choi-faeach Cauliflower, Small size-Sai Yeh Choi-fa Carrots-Kam Shun

Celery, Chinese Tong Kan Choy Celery, English-Yeung Kan Choi Celery, White-Pak Young Kan Choi,, Chilles Dried-Con Lat Chiu .. Red-Hung Fa " Green-Cheng Lat Chiq Curry Stuff, English-Ka Lee Choi Liu

Cucumbers-Cheng Kwa Bitter Squash-Fu Kwa Garlic-Suen Tau..... Ginger, young-Sun Tsz Keung old-Lo Keung Horse Radish, Shanghai-Lik Kan Indian Corn-Suk Maipiece

Water Chesnuts-Ma Tai " Mandarin-Kwei Lum Ma Tai Mushrooms Fresh-Sang Cho Kho Onions, Bombay-Young Chung Tau ... Green-Sang Chung,....

Shai-Sheung Hoi Chung Tau Japan-Yat Poon Okroes-Mo Ker Parsley, English-Yeung Un Sai 10 Gradus Pea Green Peas-Cheng Tau.....

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American-Fa Ki Foochow-Fuk Chau Shu Tsai Macao-Oh Moon Pumpkin-Toong Kwa

Radish-Hung Lo Pak Tsai....doren Rhubarb Shalots-Con Chung Tau Spinage (Chinese) Paw Ohoi Spinach—Yin Choi Tomatoes-Fan Ker..... Taros-Wu Tau

Turnips, Pun-ti (Long) Low Pak English Young Low Pak. piece Vegetable Marrow-Chit Kwa Waters Cresses-Sal Young Choi, Caltrops—Lan Kokidalista Sich

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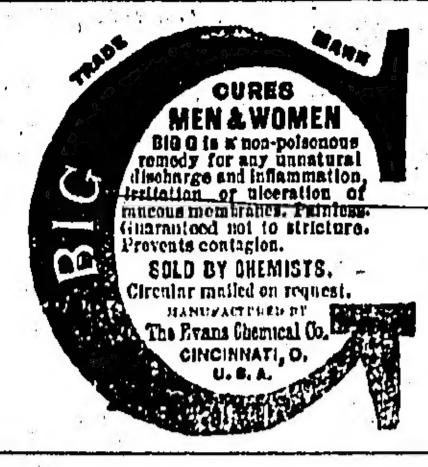
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Andree Rickmers, Ger. s.s., 1,020, H. Köhn, 3rd June,-Bangkok 28th May, Rice,-

Princesse Marie, Dan. s.s., 3,518, P. A. Berentzen, 3rd June,-Singapore 28th May, Gen. - M. & Co.

Monmouthshire, Br. S.S., 3,297, H. N. Vyvyan, 3rd June,—Japan via Shanghai 31st May, Gen.-S., T. & Co. Kwanglee, Ch. s.s., 1,540, Lincoln, 3rd June,-

Shanghai tst June, Gen.-C. M. S. N. Co. Chibli, Br. s.s., 1,142, G. Hooker, 3rd June,-Canton 3rd June, Gen.-B. & S.

June,-Manila est June, Gen.-B. & S. Rein, Nor. s.s., 726, H. Olsen, 4th June,-Bangkok 27th May, Rice.—Kin Ty Long. Chowfa, Ger. s.s., 1,055, J. Köhler, 4th June,-Bangkok 25th May, and Swatow 3rd June,

Rice and Gen.—B. & S. Foyle, Br. s.s., 2,690, T. A. Page, 4th June,— Kuchinotzu 29th May, Coal — M. B. K. Foo Shing, Br. s.s., 1,423, TAArthur, 4th June, -Syvatow 3rd June, Gen.-J. M & Co Lycemoon, Ger. s.s., 1,138, Th. Lehmann, 4th June,-Shanghai 1st June, Gen.-S. & Co.

Triumph, Ger. s.s., 679, A. Hansen, 4th June, -Foochow via Amoy and Swatow 3rd June, Gen.—J. & Co. Chiyuen, Ch. s.s., 1,177, Stewart, 4th June,-Canton 4th June, Gen.-C. M. S. N. Co. Nanyang, Ger. s.s., 1,060, E. Hass, 4th June,-

Clearances at the Harbour Office.

Canton 4th June, Gen.-Chinese. -

Rein, for Bangkok. Hongkong, for West River. Fooshing, for Swatow. Foyle, for Kuchinotzu. Kwongtung, for Canton. Wingchai, for Macao. Chowfa, for Bangkok.

Departures

June 4.

Simia, for Europe Oldenburg, for Europe. Gaelic, for San Francisco. Zafiro, for Manila. Glenfalloch, for Swatow. Kohsichang, for Bangkok. Glang Bee, for Amoy. Werneth Hall, for Japan. Anghin, for Bangkok. Thales, for Swatow. Hinsang, for Singapore. Frithjof, for Swalow. Hermiston, for Shanghai. Carl Diederichten, for Holhow. Kwanglee, for Canton.

Passengers arrived.

Per Chowfu, from Bangkok, &c.-Mr. Scott and servant Per Kwangles, from Shanghai-Mr. and Mrs.

Schneider, Mr. Curreen, and 70 Chinese. Per Sungkinng, from Manila-Miss Daisy Harcourt, Mr. L. Nelson, Capt. J. C. Lane, Messrs. E. McAllan, Antonio Basora, Jose de la Camara, Alfred Laurenc, Momuel, H. Gado, and 12 Chinese.

Per Lycemoon, from Shanghai-Mrs Heinsen and children, and 90 Chinese.

Passengers departed.

Per Loongsang, for Manila-Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Connolly, Miss Flora Cross, Messrs. W. W. Pettit, W. W. Coon, Mr. and Mrs. Dahanaveesa, Mesers. Manuel Alsua and F. J. Mitchell.

Per Simla, from Yokohama for Bombay-Mr. Isa Misimaka, From Shanghai for London Gregory; Benedictus, Smart; Hymns, 291, 343, Hart -Mr. and Mrs. C. Leach, Mrs. Cowsterdine, Mr. John MacArthur, Mrs. McGee, Messrs. A. S. Harris and A. Dyson. For Marseilles-Madame L. Lacacheux and infant. For Bombay-Mr. F. S. Gara, "Mrs. Leaches and 2 children, Q. M. Serg. Patterson. From Hongkong for London-Mr. and Mrs. Oecil Popham, Mr. H. Woodward, Mrs. W. A. Barnett and FXIRESSES. child, Messrs. Ernest G. Tricker, O'Connell, Wm: H. Carter, Henry Ross, Sergt and Mrs. Beedle and 2 children, S. Sgt. and Mrs. Senior, child and infant, and Mr. P. W. Sergeant. For Colombo-Mr. G. J. Clark. For Singapore-Mrs. Gerald Pike, Mr. Kong Tit Sang, Engr.-I ieut. A. W. Littlewood, Mesers. John Ferguson, C.P.O., Edwin Carbin, ship steward, Alfred Olives, E.R.A., Wm. Coll-

> Marines, and Mr. Lo Pok Sau. M. McWade, Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Harvey, Rev. A. B. Caldwell, Mr. G. A. Goss, Mr. and Mrs. Dang Tang Hing, Mr. To Dune Min, Dr. St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road -- Morning G. H. Ostrander, Messrs. J. J. Keegan, H. J. Rosencrantz and J. H. Aldrich. For Shanghai -Messra, J. J. Leiria, Jno. S. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Bardwell, Mesers. John Latta and G. A. Yvanovich. For Nagasaki-Lieut. and Mrs. J. A. Ruggles. For Yokohama-Lieuts, N. W. Benton, Craig, Messra, F. E. Shaw and W. H. Walker. For Honolulu-Mr. Lum Gan. Por Keelung (Dai-

total) Formoss-Mr. W. A. Railton.

Shipping Report. Str. Foyle from Kuchinotsu:-Light unsteady winds, and fine clear weather.

Str. Sungkiang from Manila:-Fine and clear, fresh N.W. and N'ly winds, passing showers, slight N.E'ly swell.

Vessels in Port.

Amara, Br. s.s., 1,566, C. J. Mattock, 1st June, -Koh-si-chang 26th May, Rice and Flour. -I., M. & Co. Atholl, Br. s.s., 3031, Wm. Watt, 3rd June,-

Salina Cruz 30th April, Ballast.-C. C. S. S. Co. Borneo, Ger. s.s., 2,168, E. Muhle, 30th May,-Sandakan 26th May, Timber and Gen .-

M. & Co. Capri, Ital. s.s., 2,717, G. Belsito, 3rd June,-Bombay 17th May, and Singapore 28th,

Gen.-C. & Co. Eastern, Br. s.s., 3,586, W. Ellis, 2nd June,— Kobe 28th May, Gen.—G., L. & Co. Emma Luyken, Ger. s.s., 1,160, H. Martens, 1st June,-Hongay 30th May, Coals .--

Chinese. Gregory Apcar, Br. s.s., 2,940, J. G. Olifent, 29th May,—Calcutta 14th May, via Penang and Singapore 25th, Gen .- D. S. & Co.,

Hopsang, Br. s.s., 1,439, J. M. Hay, 31st May,
—Nagasaki 26th May, Coal.—J., M. & Co. Machew, Ger. s.s., 996, Harles, 28th May,-Bangkok 22nd May, Gen.-B. & S.

Macquarie, Br. s.s., 2,703. St. John George, 26th May,—Saigon 23rd May, Gen.—G., L. & Mercedes, Br. s.s., 2,999, G. S. McGregor, 30th

May,-Wellington and New Zealand 7th May, Coal.—Admiralty. Nithsdale, Br. s.s., 2,234, John Cameron, 31st May,-Moji 25th May, Coal.-B. & Co. Shansi, Br. s.s., 1,228, J. G. Carnaghan, 1st

lune,-Saigon 28th May, Rice.-B. & S. Simoon, Br. s.s., 2,379, Collins, 1st June;-Mororan 23rd May, Coals.-D. & Co., Ld. Terrier, Ger. s.s., 1,008, L. Brunn, 1st June, --Bangkok 25th May, Rice and Teaklogs.

- Hang Sing Hong. Whampoa, Br. s.s., 1,109, Pactuve, 3rd June -· Canton and June, Gen.—B. & S. Wuchang, Br. s.s., Bor, E. Finlayson, 2nd June,-Cebu and Iloilo 29th May, Gen.-B. & S.

SAILING VESSELS.

Colipse, Br. ship, 2,978, J. McBryde, 10th May, -New York 10th Dec., 1903, Case Oil.-Maria Le, Ital. bg., 1,118, D. Urso, 9th April, -Freemantle 7th Feb., Sandalwood,-

Order. Odd, Nor. bq., 997, Arnoldsen, 28th May,-Bunburg 2nd April, Timber. -S., T. & Co. Trongate, Br. bq , 949, A. Hutton, 28th May,-Fremantle 23rd May, Sandal-wood. of Japan. Gilman & Co.

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Tean Hopsang Ships Passed The Canal.

Ontward-29th April-Armand Behic, Java. 3rd May-Ambria, St. Kilda. 6th May-Tuckwo. 10th May-Benarty, Alesia, Lowther Castle, 14th May-Nestor, Stentor, Sardinia, Anamba. 17th May-Cassius, Kennebec, Denbighshire, Mazagon, Ventmoor, C. St. James, 10a.m. - - -Main. 20th May-Gisela. 25th May-Glenlochy, Bucentaur, Yarra, C. Ferd Laciss. 27th May-Socotra, Keemun, Vega. 1st June -Anapa, Suevia, Stam, Germanicus, Tydeus, Badenia, Roon, Indrawadi. 4th June-Tonin, Moyune, Silvia.

Homeward-3rd May-Alberga, Pak Ling. 14th May-Sulazie. 27th May-Palawan. 1st June-Brisgavia,

Arrivals at Home-3rd May-Glendoon, Alacrity Peleus, Roanoke, Armand Behic, Sithonia, Albion t ... Ajax. 4th May-Borneo. 6th May-Preussen. 10th May Konigsberg, 14th May-Bumbers, Rhipeus. 20th May-Hamburg. 25th May-Sambia, Silesia, (Aus.) 27th May -Malacca, Machaon. 1st June-Idomeneus. 4th June-Abessinia, Prins Heinrich, Annam.

TO-MORROW.

St. Peter's Seamen's Church. Queen's Road West. First Sunday after Trinity.

Matins 11 a.m., Venite, Ousely; To Deum, Handy 595 and 346. Kyrie. Holy Communion 12,15 a.m.

Evensong 6.30 p.m., Magnificat, Turle; Nunc, Jones; Hymns, 295, 331, 595 and 350. The Church launch Dayspring will call on ships carrying white crews to bring friends ashore to the services between 9.15 and 10.30 a.m., and between .5.15 and 6 p.m., (Kowloon Rambler Police Pier, 10.30 and 6 p.m.); returning afterwards. The Answering Pennant is the Call flag. All the sittings are free and unappropriated. Visitors welcome. Books, &c. provided. Sunday school to to to.45 a.m.

Roman Catholic Cathedral :- Mass at 6 a.m., 7 a.m., 8 a.m., and 9.30 a.m. Benediction, parrowhawk ... 5.30 p.m.

ings, C.E.R.A., Jas. Yates, E.R.A., 38 Seamen, 8 German Betheeda Chapel, West Point Morning Service, 11 a.m. Per Gaelic, for San Francisco, &c .- Mrs. R. | St. Francis Church, Wanchai -- Mass (Chin.) | Thetis ... 6 a.m., (Port.), 7.30 a.m. Benediction, Tweed

> Service (English), 9 a.m. Anthony's Chapel, West Point; -- Massi | Waterwitch Wooleyan Garrison and Haval Church Wanchai: Sinday 10.15 a.m., Sunday 3 p.m., Sunday, School and men's Bible Class Sunday 6 p.m. Thursday 7.30 p.m.,

Bible Class. Union Church: -Services, 11 am., and 6 p.m. Post Office.

A Mail will close for :-Canton-Per Falskan, 5th June, 9 A.M. Kongmoon, Kurnchuk and Samshui-Per Linian, 5th June, 9 A.M. Namtao-Per Talchun, 5th June, 9 A.M. Sanbue-Per Hoi Fu, 5th June, 9 A.M. Macao -Per Wingchal, 5th June, 9 A.M.

Cheloo-Per Nanyang, 5th June, 9 A.M. Canton-Per Pozoan, 6th June, 7.30 4,M. Swatow, Singapore and Bangkok - Per Machew, 6th June, 9 A.N. Shanghai-Per Wuching, 6th June, 3 P.M. Swatow, Chefoo and Tientsin-Per Chihil,

6th June, 3 P.M.
Kobe — Per Macquari, 6th June, 4 P.M. Kongmoon, Kumchink and Samshui-Per Tak Hing, 6th June, 5 Mir. Namtao-Per Taichun, 6th June, 5 P.M.

Sanbue-Per Hoi Fu,6th June 5 P.M. Macao-Per Wingchal, 6th June, 5 P.M. Thursday Island, Cooklown, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne-Per Changsha, 7th June, 3 P.M. Namtao-Per Taichus, 7th June, 5 P.M.

Sanbue-Per Hos Furth June, 5 P.M. Macao-Per Wingchal, 7th June, 5 P.M. Kongmoon, Kumchuck and Samshui-Per Lintan, 7th June, 5 P.M. Europe. &c., India, via Tuticoria-l'er Sachsen, 8th June, II A.H.
Straits and Calcutta-Per Gregory Apear,

8th June, 2 P.M. Ningpo and Shanghai-Per Kweiyang, 8th; June, 3 P.M. Manila-Per Tean, 8th June, 3 P.M.

Kudat and Sandakan-Per Borneo, 9th June, Singapore, Penang and Bombay-Per Capri, Joth June, II A.M.

Manila-Per Rubi, xith June, 9 A.M. Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokubama, Victoria and Vancouver, B.C.-Per Empress of Japan, 13th June, 11 A.M. Europe, &c., India, via Tuticorin-l'er Australien, 14th June, 11 A.M. Manila-Per Zafiro, 18th June, 9 A.M.

Europe, &c., India, via Tuncorin Coromandel, 18th June, II A.M. Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yekohimi, Victoria and Vancouver, I.C .- I'er Empress of India, 22nd June, II A H

THE WEATHER.

The following report is from Mr. J. I. Plum-, Bonner, E. A. mer, Chief Assistant of the Hongkong Obser- Bonnet, Mr. & Mrs. F. Meikle, Mr. & Mrs. E.

On the 4th at 0.10 p.m. The barometer R. W. has risen in N. China and to some extent in Boyce, W. B. the Philippines, and has allen in Japan and S.

The depression, first retired to on the 30th ult. is now moving Ensward across the Sea Darby, A. J. Gradients are very slight upon the China Davies, Mrs. J. T. Coast and light E. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel, and light 8, to S.W. winds in the northern part of the China Sea.

Forecast :- I. ight S. winds, fine. N.B.—Telegraphic connection with Hongkong is interrupted,

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER, Dunlop, Capt. June 3rd, 1904, a.m.

Ban Th. Ho. Wind Wr. ! Fischer, R. Vladivostock . 7 Nemuro 6 a.m. 30 0 -- --Hakodate ... 29 00 - - NE -Kochi Nagasaki Kagoshima... 29.91 --- 101 -19.91 - 1 - | 0 | -Oshima Taihoku 5 a.m. 20.80 - - | sw | 2 | - | Heckford, R. G.

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BANKS. Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation	8-,000	\$125	\$10,000,000 \$6,500,000 \$250,000	\$1,417,366	Div. of £1.10/- and bonus of 10/- @ } exchange 1/8=\$22.994 for half- year } ending 31.12.1903	61%	\$667 sellers London £66 \$38 buyers
National Bank of China, Limited	, + 1 (al u s	£10	\$175,533 \$191,973 \$1,750,000 \$569,143		\$2 (London 3/6) for 1973		\$10 545 sellers
China Traders' Insurance Company, Limited		\$83.33 .\$15	\$906,872 \$900,000 \$151,992 \$331,342		\$4 for year ended 374.1903	61 %	i60 buyers
North China Insurance Company, Limited	8,000	£15 £5 \$100 \$60 \$150 \$50	\$1,300,000	\$186,284	Final of £1 making £2 for 1902	91 %	is. 62 sales
FIRE INSURANCES. Hongkong_Fire Insurance Company, Limited		\$250 \$50	\$1,308,85 \$1,000,00	5 \$371,110 0)	\$22\frac{1}{2} for 1902\$6 dividend & \$1 bonus for 1902	1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1	to buyers
China Fire Insurance Company, Limited		\$100 \$20 \$15 \$1	\$2,50	\$41,538	\$11 for second half-year 1903		\$ buyers
Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited	60,000 30,000	\$50 \$5	240,000 £240,000 £100,000 none \$185,000	(5,380 Dr. \$63,123	\$5 for 1900\$5 for year ended 30.6.1903	•	Staseliers \$26 ales \$36 allers
Douglas Steamship Company, Limited	10,000	\$100 \$10 \$100 \$10 \$100 \$10	\$60,00 \$15,00 \$400,00 \$ 21.0	\$1,287 \$1,287 \$3 \$33,648	\$2,20d. & 40 cls. b. } for year ending 30.4 \$51.10d. & 20 cts. b. } for year ending 30.4 \$5 for 2nd \(\frac{1}{2} \) year making \$13 for 1903	03 { 7 %	\$32x d. buye \$23ex d buye \$13 buyers
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Shanghai Tug and Lighter Company, Limited Do. (Preference REFINERIES. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited	20,000	\$100 \$1 \$100 \$1	none none	Dr. \$147,717 Dr. \$73,905	Final of \$7 making \$12 for 1901 \$3 for 1897		\$11 sales \$9cliers Ti 55 buyer
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Chinese Engineering and Mining Company, Ld DOCKS, WHARVES & GODOWNS. Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Ld	50,000	£1 \$50	£20,0	750 \$425,340	\$6: dividend and \$1 bonus for secon	d} 61 %	
S. C. Farnham, Boyd & Co., Limited	5,000 2,750 12,000	\$100 \$ \$100 \$ \$100 \$	100 \$1,050,0 100 \$150,0 100 \$14,0	\$43,732 000 \$40,936 000 \$29,926	\$6 for 2nd half year 1903 \$510 div. and \$2\frac{1}{2} bonus or 1903	{ 6 % 6 %	5260 5195 buyers 5110 5205 buyers
Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown, Co., I Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Company	20,000	Tls. 100 Tls.	100 { Tis. 487, Tis. 50,	710 } 710 } 713 Tis. 22,895	Final of Tis. 6 making Tis. 11 for 190; Tis. 18 for 1903	3 ··· 71 %	is. 145 sale
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